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-- 8. (Amended) A kit for diagnosis of cancer which comprises the protooncogene or fragment of claim 1 [or 2]. --

A2

-- 10. (Amended) An anti-sense gene having a base sequence which is complementary to the sequence of the full or partial mRNA transcribed from the protooncogene or fragment of claim 1 [or 2] and being capable of binding the mRNA to inhibit the expression of said protooncogene or fragment. --

A3

-- 12. (Amended) A process for treating or preventing cancer in humans which comprises administering a therapeutically effective amount of the anti-sense gene of claim 10 [or 11] to the human. --

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